

Friday, July 26

208 DAYS PAST

Saturday

158 TO COME

**Uterine Curettement. No. 2.**

The dilator, as in common use, is a dangerous instrument, those with a screw-lock even more so than those where manual force is used. The shanks ought to be parallel; if they diverge at this point, the instrument is liable to tear the uterine tissue opposite the os internum, the rent may extend into the free abdominal cavity, but usually runs into the broad ligament.

Dressing forceps used in the endeavor to remove débris are risky, when pointed. Severe injuries, such as piercing the uterus and bringing down through the rent a loop of intestine, have been reported.—*Dr. F. Foerster; Am. Journ. of Clin. Med.*

Weather

Very hot

Temp.

Grace & Gene went home  
this afternoon. Maude  
& I went to Charley March  
ants for beef & then to  
Aphner. Clifford came  
up & patched Melbas  
wheel  
Mariah